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## Two Neat Costumes



**S**ERGE of any color might be made up in the style shown in the costume on the left. The skirt has a deep pointed piece laid on at each side, this is piped with black satin, and trimmed with cord ornaments.

The smart little coat is cut with a deep point on each front that wraps over below bust; the right side is fastened over by press studs, and it is ornamented to match skirt. The collar and cuffs are partly faced with black satin.

Hat of Tegel to match the costume, and trimmed with black ostrich feathers.

Materials required for costume: 5 yards 46 inches wide, 6 ornaments, 3 yards of silk for lining, 1/2 yard satin for facings.

A simple girlish dress is the other, in iris mauve cashmere. The skirt is trimmed with a band of broche silk of the same color, which being sewn on only at the upper edge, simulates a tunic.

The Magyar bodice is made of the broche in the lower part, the collar and under-sleeves being of the same. Fringed ends of broche hang down at left side, in effective ornament, from the waist band.

Hat of iris mauve chip, trimmed with a wreath of white clematis.

Materials required for the dress: 4 1/2 yards 46 inches wide, 1 1/2 yard broche 22 inches wide.

## MATHENY & PLANT

Wide Open  
For Business

Will Burnett and Stella M. Aldridge were united in the holy bonds of wedlock Friday afternoon by Squire J. T. Futrell. The young people live

about four miles south of Fulton.  
**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE KENTUCKY CLUB MONDAY NIGHT. BE SURE AND ATTEND.**

## Kentucky State Notes.

Lexington.—The representatives of the five colleges and universities in the Kentucky Intercollegiate association met here and perfected plans for a state track and field meet to be held in Lexington on May 15. The meet will be held at the fair grounds and will be under the supervision and management of the association. It was decided to hold the meeting under the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union and to follow the order of events as prescribed by the rules of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic association. The events will be thirteen in number.

The representatives present were: Berea, Prof. D. W. Morton; Georgetown, Prof. Robert Hinton; Transylvania, Prof. R. E. Monroe; Central, Prof. T. V. Williams; State University, Coach E. R. Sweetland. Prof. Monroe and Sweetland were selected a committee of two to draw up a constitution for adoption for the purpose of regulating the track meet and making it an annual event. The meeting then adjourned to meet again on Monday, January 29.

### CHANGES IN MILITIA.

Adj. Gen. Haldeman Is Making Plans For Greatly Improving National Guard.

Frankfort.—The first step in the reorganization of the Kentucky National Guard was taken by Adj. Gen. W. B. Haldeman, when he mustered out of the service seven companies of the guard located in Louisville. New companies, with some of the best of the officers of the old Louisville Legion in command, will be organized at once to take the place of the companies mustered out. This is but the initial move toward building up a regiment in Louisville that will be a credit to the state.

Maj. A. McLean Moffat, inspector general, is relieved of duty in another order issued by Gen. Haldeman, with the approval of Gov. McCreary. His place is to be filled temporarily by Robert J. McElroy, of Louisville, who is designated as inspector general. Maj. McElroy is now in Frankfort discharging his duties as inspector.

### PROMINENT CITIZEN DEAD.

James Monroe Hocker, Founder of College For Girls, Passes Away.

Lexington.—James Monroe Hocker, founder of Hocker, now Hamilton, college, and one of the oldest and most widely known citizens of Lexington, died at his home, 418 Johnson avenue, after a brief illness. Mr. Hocker was 89 years old last June, and is survived by his wife, with whom on October 24 he celebrated the sixty-seventh anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Hocker in his earlier life accumulated a large fortune in the mercantile business, and about forty years ago he retired for a time from active business and founded and liberally endowed Hocker college in this city, one of the best known colleges for girls in the south. A number of years later the name of the college was, with Mr. Hocker's consent, changed to Hamilton college, in order to secure additional endowment, and it is now connected with Transylvania university.

### GETS \$7,500 DAMAGES.

Leitchfield.—Mrs. Lula Rowell, of this place, secured a verdict in the Grayson circuit court for \$7,500 against the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans Railroad Co. and the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained in a railroad accident near Fourteenth and Magnolia streets, Louisville, December 23, 1910.

### TO GET LARGE SUM.

Frankfort.—Congressman Cantrill has been notified by the court of claims that the claims of Mrs. T. N. Arnold, of Frankfort, for \$5,015 for property destroyed during the civil war had been allowed. Mrs. Arnold is the widow of a Christian preacher, well known in Kentucky. Congressman Cantrill will try to have the claim included in the omnibus bill this session.

### BURNED TO DEATH.

Grayson.—Mrs. Etta Blankenship Easterling, wife of Prof. Frank Easterling, was burned to death by her clothing catching fire from an open grate. Mr. Easterling had left the house but a few minutes before to bring their two children from a neighbor's. She was burned beyond recognition.

### JENKINS INCORPORATED.

Middlesboro.—An order was entered by the Letcher circuit court incorporating the new town of Jenkins. J. W. Collins was elected police judge. An assessor, a policeman and board of councilmen were appointed.

### TO ENCOURAGE MANLY ART.

Lexington.—As a means to the end of the practice of "gun-toting" in Kentucky, the students at the State university are to be taught the manly art of self-defense. President Henry S. Barker, former justice of the Kentucky court of appeals, has announced that he will give four medals, one for the best man in each of the classes, heavyweight, middleweight, light-weight and featherweight. The boxing classes are to be organized at once.

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### OUR HANDSOME FRIENDS.

Following is a small list of recent renewals and new subscribers to the Courier. This will give one an idea of the way our subscription list is growing, especially when it is taken into consideration that these represent only a little over one month's business. At one time this paper did a haphazard credit business on subscription—the fellow that never paid got just as much as the fellow who plunked down his dollar in advance. But not so any more. It was somewhat of an undertaking to jump from a credit system, which had its limit only between the cradle and the grave to a strictly cash in advance basis, but we took the chances and find it is the only way to run a newspaper. People like it. We have only had one kick in three years against it—and that fellow's wife is taking the paper for him. We print below a list of some of these good people who take the Courier—pay for and enjoy reading it. May they all live long and prosper:

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### BARKETT BUYS STOCK.

A. S. Barkett was the highest and best bidder on the Fuqua, Helm & Co. stock of goods which was sold by the assignee, Judge Jas. Roney, Friday afternoon. The purchase price was about \$1200. Mr. Barkett will dispose of the stock in its present quarters, and is offering some big values.

### MUSICAL EVENT.

The opera house should be packed by lovers of wholesome musical comedies on Jan. 31, when the well known musical comedy, "The Widow McCarty," will hold forth. Mr. Ben Craner, under whose sole direction this favorite attraction is, has neither spared labor nor capital in placing the "Widow McCarty" on the road for a second tour, in the best possible shape and has gathered together a carefully selected company of comedy stars, both male and female, headed by the ever popular comedienne, Miss Mayme McPharlan, as the bewitching "widow," in the latest song hits, bewitching dancing and beautiful stage pictures, elaborately costumed and appropriate dazzling scenic and mechanical effects. You have heard of the "Widow," so do not be backward, but see her, Jan. 31

An exceedingly interesting and convincing (?) piece of literature is being sent broadcast throughout the state, compiled to show the great good of the liquor business. It sets forth that the "wet" counties practically support the state government—that 25 wet counties paid 87 per cent of the state's revenue (but it doesn't say that wives broken in spirit or children in rags and hungry contributed largely to this fund.) Fulton county is shown as one of the "pauper" counties, and that the county spent \$2619.19 more than she contributed to the state in 1910; in 1911, we are given credit for paying our own expenses and turning over \$832.16. Figures may not lie, but these lack a whole lot of telling the truth. The circular is designed for no other purpose than to give local option a black eye. Anybody that has sense enough to know that geese go barefooted knows that 74 counties in the state are not being supported by the remainder.

Fireworks in the state Senate were touched off Monday when Sen. J. C. Graham, a member of the county unit committee, introduced his bill providing for the extension of the county unit. The "wets" were immediately in arms and finally succeeded, with the aid of four Republicans, in getting the bill delayed until today. Sen. W. A. Frost, of this district, voted against the delay, and in so doing carried out one of his pledges to his constituency. The wets will doubtless try to delay the bill from time to time, giving themselves the more chance to concoct plans for its final defeat. This is really the main issue in state politics.

Rev. Clarence Richeson, who poisoned Miss Alvis Linnell and her unborn babe in order to get her out of the way so he could marry a rich maiden, must die in the electric chair on May 19. The electric chair is too good for him—he ought to be sent to Martin, Tenn., for life.

J. T. Harahan, former president of the I. C., was killed in a rear-end collision near Centralia, Ill., Monday morning. Three other railroad men guests of Harahan in his private car were also killed.